

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 32, as follows

FIG. 2 is a ~~FIGs. 2A and 2B~~ are perspective view views of other tools in which microactuators are used.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 24, as follows:

Figure 2 shows ~~Figures 2A and 2B~~ show tubular tweezers 100, tweezers 110, knives 120, seissors ~~122~~, needles ~~124~~, dilators ~~126~~ and clamps ~~128~~ based on microactuators. The indicated movement is driven by microactuators properly mounted and designed. The tools are housed in a cylindrical housing 140, which, for example, may be a needle or a catheter.

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